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Re: No. 23-1078: B.P.J. v. West Virginia State Board of Education, et al.

Dear Ms. Connor:

Under Appellate Rule 27(a)(4) and Fourth Circuit Loc. R. 27(d)(2), I write to notify the Court that the State of West Virginia and Lainey Armistead intend to file a reply to Plaintiff-Appellant B.P.J.'s July 19, 2023 response to our motion to suspend the injunction pending appeal, and we will do so within the seven (7) days allowed by the appellate rules. Accordingly, we respectfully request that the Court not act on the motion until the reply is filed.

Sincerely,

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/s/ Lindsay S. See Lindsay S. See Solicitor General USCA4 Appeal: 23-1078 Doc: 145 Filed: 07/20/2023 Pg: 2 of 2

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